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This is in response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2007. The applicants respectfully request that the following claim amendments be entered and that the pending claims be reconsidered in light of the amendments and remarks herein.